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WEATHER REPORT
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TUMULTY SENDS LETTER OF REBUKE

President's Secretary Resents Threat Made by Congressman

DEMANDS AUDIENCE

Head of "Labor's Peace Council" Was Discourteous When Interview Was Not Arranged.

Washington, Aug. 10—Resenting the discourteous attitude of Congressman Frank Buchanan, of Illinois, in demanding an audience with the President for a committee of the so-called Labor's National Peace Council, Secretary Tumulty has made public the correspondence bearing upon the incident.

Mr. Buchanan, who styles himself a "toiler" in the ranks of trade unionism, recently asked Mr. Tumulty to fix an appointment for a committee of the council to call upon the President. The Secretary found it impossible to do this and wrote a note to the Representative to that effect.

In reply the Congressman charged the Administration with favoritism to "big business" and added the threat that if the conference with the President were not arranged a statement would be issued by Mr. Buchanan exposing the whole affair. To this Mr. Tumulty rejoined with an invitation to Mr. Buchanan to go as far as he liked.

Mr. Buchanan's letter was, in part, as follows:

"My Dear Mr. Tumulty: Your favor of the 24th instant duly received, and to put the situation mildly, was decidedly disappointing in character. Your intimation that the President's time was so fully taken up with matters of pressing importance that he could not grant an audience to representatives of labor in order to permit them in person to demonstrate that the subsidized press, representing organized dollars in America, which is seeking to serve as the volunteer adviser of the President was mis-representing labor's attitude in the present crisis is tantamount to a declaration that the President is more concerned about the desires of big business than he is to discover the heartfelt sentiment of the common people.

"War is generally regarded by the common people, who are its only victims, as legalized murder on a wholesale plane, which all the sophistry of questionable patriots and demagogues can never invest, and yet the President cannot find time to listen to the people who desire peace, because his time is completely occupied by those who apparently desire war.

"My duty to those I serve leaves me no alternative but to say that so long as they, the people, continue to be united in their belief that progress and prosperity is dependent upon religious observance of the Scriptual admonition: 'And they shall beat their swords into ploughshares and their spears into pruning hooks; nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war any more,' just so long shall I continue to rap at the door of the President's private chambers to secure admittance for a delegaton of workers who not only desire peace at home, but peace abroad as well.

"Again I urge upon you to kindly present to the President my desire for a conference, and inform him that if I am to be denied the courtesy so liberally extended to congressmen speaking for big business, I shall be reluctantly forced to advise the public of my position in the premises through the medium of an open letter."

To this Secretary Tumulty replied: "My Dear Mr. Buchanan—I received your letter of the 28th of July, and beg to say that I resent the tone of it and the unwarrantable inferences you have drawn by reason of the President's inability to confer with you as the representative of the committee of Labor's National Peace Council at the time you requested.

"As far as I am concerned, there is no objection to any statement you may desire to make to the public in this matter. Yours very truly,

J. P. TUMULTY,
"Secretary to the President"

GERMAN FINANCES

Holland and Scandinavian Demand Payment in Gold

The Deutsche Tageszeitung, the paper in which Admiral von Tirpitz and Krupp's right-hand man, Count Earnest von Reventlow, recently made furious attacks upon the United States and denounced the lack of backbone of Bethmann-Hollweg in a manner which led to the temporary suspension of the paper, has found a new source of worry.

Although the financial experts of the paper insist that there must be at least a billion marks of coined gold in the hands of the German people, the urgent appeals of the Reichsbank for gold in exchange for bank notes are no longer heeded, and there are now probably less than 1,800,000,000 marks in gold in the bank.

Until about a month ago a steady current of gold kept coming into the bank from various sources. School children collected it all over the country, ministers urged their congregations to send in all they had, and every saving bank was drained.

The amount, however, steadily grew smaller, and now the Tageszeitung says it has practically ceased to flow.

No payments in gold, of course, are made in Germany, but even the small countries like Holland and Scandinavia, where Germany gets her supplies from abroad, have begun to insist on regular payments in gold being made. The value of German paper money abroad is rapidly declining and extreme measures may soon have to be taken, which cannot be kept secret, and will make the financial misery dangerously plain.

WILD AND UNCLAD VENUS

Wisconsin Has a Wood Nymph Who Wears Only a Lace Cap

La Crosse, Wis., Aug. 10—The mysterious wood nymph of Sparta, who appears clad only in a dainty lace nightcap, was seen again Saturday at close range by Valentine Busby, a farmer, three miles east of Sparta. The fair apparition appeared within 100 feet of Busby, but fled into the woods upon sight of him. Busby says the woman, whoeven she is, has the form of a Venus. She was also seen by passengers on an eastbound Milwaukee train in the same neighborhood.

Sheriff George Boss and Humane officer Manuel, of Sparta, have started out in quest of the mysterious creature, and are hunting through the woods where she was seen Saturday.

PIERCED BY ENGINE ROD

Engineer Peculiarly Wounded in Cab on Official's Train.

Reading, Pa., Aug. 10—Injuries sustained when the main driving rod of the engine snapped and went crashing through the cab, with each revolution of the wheels, resulted in the death of an engineer, John W. Hagner, of the Reading Railway, aged 56 years, last Friday night.

The accident occurred three hours before, near Womelsdorf. Hangner's thigh was punctured by the rapidly rotating shaft.

MOTORISTS KILLED

Runs Off Des Moines Speedway to Death at 100 Miles an Hour

Des Moines, Aug. 10—Joe Cooper was killed in an automobile race at the Speedway Saturday afternoon when his car jumped the track nearing the grandstand on the thirty-eighth lap.

Officials of the track said Cooper was going 100 miles an hour when the accident occurred. Cooper was dead before the car could be pulled off his body.

Cooper blew a tire just as he was nearing the grand-stand and lost control of his car through a broken steering knuckle and the car went straight up over the outer edge of the track 20 feet and landed on the outside, with Cooper under the wreckage. Louis Piel, his mechanician, was badly injured, and at the hospital was said to have only a fair change for recovery. Three ribs were broken and his spine was badly wrenched.

GERMAN FORCE ENTERS PRAGA

Dramatic Climax of First Phase of Drive on Polish Capital

DETAILS ARE MEAGRE

Russians Withdraw to Safer Positions —Teutons Hammering Toward Railroad —Attitude of Poles

London, Aug. 10—The occupants of Praga, reported by Berlin, brings to a dramatic climax the first phase of the drive at the Polish capital and the region of eastern Poland of which Warsaw is the dominating centre. Praga is essentially a part of the capital, with great railway station on the roads running to Petrograd and Moscow. Few details have been received of Grand Duke Nicholas' final stand at Praga, but the indications are that the withdrawal of the Russians became imperative to escape from the German lines gradually drawing together in their rear.

Warsaw now is the apex of a vast letter V, the arms of which are the River Narew on the north and the Vistula on the south. The German lines spread along these rivers are contracting gradually, as the armies in the north and those in the south approach each other. The strip of territory across which the Russians may withdraw to safer positions now is hardly more than 30 miles.

Besides this enveloping movement immediately to the east of Warsaw Berlin reports a steady hammering at the great Russian fortresses of Kovno and Lomaz, the chief significance of which is their proximity to the lines of railway communication to Petrograd. Novo Georgievsk is the only place west of Warsaw at which a Russian garrison remains and its fall seems imminent.

The attitude of the Poles towards the new German regime is arousing deep interest, as the occupation of Warsaw unites for the first time three branches of the Poles heretofore divided among Russia, Germany, and Austria. Under the Russian regime Poland has been a hotbed of disorder and it remains to be seen whether control of this occupied territory will be as difficult a problem for Germany as it has been for Russia.

WAR RIOT IN CHICAGO

Austrians Resent Germans' Prediction and Italians Join Melee

Chicago, Aug. 10.—Picturesque Goose Island, that portion of Chicago which houses members of every nationality, and perhaps, the greatest variety of odors on earth, was the scene of a race riot Sunday when the European war was suddenly transferred to its streets. The trouble started with a saloon discussion over the next king of Poland, but before the police suppressed the outbreak, three men had been seriously stabbed, and many others badly beaten, kicked and otherwise injured. Some Germans drinking toasts to one of the German Princes as the next king of Poland, were responsible for the riot. They were immediately challenged by Austrians, who maintained Austria would designate the king. Meanwhile a number of police broke into the game. Then the participants began to crack beer mugs and chairs over each other's heads, and the fight ebbed out of the saloon and into the street. By this time all sides had been heavily reinforced and among the most valiant re-inforcements were a number of Italians, provided with short knives and vigorous ideas of their own regarding all Germans and Austrians.

Hohenheim, Germany (via Berlin wireless), Aug. 9—Violent earth tremors were recorded early today by the observatory here. The seismograph indicated that a severe earthquake has occurred in southern Europs, probably in Calabria or Albania.

Dr. V. P. Berry left today to visit relatives in King George County.

BOTTLE ROUTS HOLD-UP MAN.

Prospective Victim Points Grape Juice And Threatens to Shoot.

Philadelphia, Aug. 10.—Nothing more dangerous than a bottle of grape juice was used to frighten off a highwayman by T. D. McCampbell, chief clerk of the local office of the State Department of Labor and Industry, when he was held up yesterday morning within a short distance of his home at No. 1040 South Fifty-first street.

McCampbell left the car at Forty-ninth street and Chester avenue and started to walk to Fifty-first street. He noticed a man dodging about in the shadow of the porches on Fiftieth street with the evident intention of cutting him off. McCampbell, however, continued on his way to find that the suspicious character had preceded him through an alley.

As the man sprang out at him, McCampbell, who was carrying a valuable watch and chain and a large sum of money, reached in his coat pocket and whipped out the bottle of grape juice. He jammed it into he stranger's face and threatened to shoot.

In the darknss the neck of the bottle resembled the barrel of a blue steel revolver and the would be hold up man wilted. McCampbell says that when the man started down Fifty-first street he lost no time getting home, where he could place his money in a safer spot. He said the highwayman was tall and thin and wore a straw hat.

YOUNG WOMAN USES PISTOL.

Taking a Dare Romeo Sets Out to Scale Obstacles Under Girl's Porch Window.

Pittsburgh, Aug. 10.—John Edwards, of Second Avenue and Winted street, is nursing an ugly bullet wound in his arm in addition to having been mulcted out of a $30 fine in Oakland Police court as a result of his "taking a dare" and trying to crawl up a veranda post under the window of a plucky girl's room.

Miss Frieda Meister, a pretty 20-year old daughter of Mrs. A. Meister, who conducts a hotel on Second avenue, was just about to retire late Sunday night when through the window she described the form of a man who was apparently trying to clamber up to the porch roof, immediately under her window.

Her mother happened to be in the room, and seeing her daughter take up an automatic revolver from a drawer, cautioned her to shoot to scare the intruder.

"All right, I will, with the first shot; but if he does not jump quick after that I" shoot to hit," said Miss Meister.

When Edwards hesitated after the first bullet had gone over his head, the girl again fired, the shot taking effect in his aarm.

In the police court Edwards apologized for his unseeming conduct, and Miss Meister, knowing him, now laughed the incident away. But the court thought differently and Edwards paid his fine.

THE LATE MRS. AITCHESON.

Mrs. Emma D. Aitcheson, wife of Andrew W. Aitcheson, who died at her home, 320 south Lee street, yesterday afternoon after a brief illness of typhoid fever, was esteemed by all who knew her. She was a faithful worker in the Immanuel Lutheran Church of which she was a member. Besides her husband she is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Louis Folmar and Mrs. K. W Obermeyer. The funeral services will be held from the Immauel Lutheran Church at 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

MEXICAN OUTLAWS SLAIN.

Latter's Last Shot Fired as Texas Rangers Arrive And End Fight of 15 Against 60

Brownsville, Tex., Aug. 10.—Five Mexican bandits and one Mexican woman were killed in the fighting Sunday at Norias, 68 miles north of here. For an hour 15 Americans, eight of them United States cavalrymen, stooff off the attack of sixty Mexicans. Five of the Americans were wuonded, three of the latter soldiers. The 15 Americans were saved from death just as their ammunition gave out by the arrival of 17 Texas rangers.

ALLIES WILL FIGHT TO FINISH

British Press Repudiates Peace Formula of German Chancellor

SAY IT IS IMPUDENCE

Cannot Propound Any Terms Neutrals Would Approve—Conquerers Will Make Their Own Terms.

London, Aug. 10—The alles will fight to the finish, and make peace only on their own terms.

This is the general tone of comment in the British press today on the message sent to the Unted Press yesterday by the German chancellor Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg. regarding the terms on which the Kaiser would consent to peace negotiations.

Bethmann-Hollweg's statement was published in full throughout England. Newspapers gave it prominent display, some even subordinating the war news and making the German chancellor's message the most important news of the day. The majority of the London papers, in addition, carried lengthy editorial comments, expressing indignation at what they termed the "impudence" of Germany's proposals.

The Daily Telegraph, in a column editorial, said in part:

"Bethmann-Hollweg's formula, in his message to the United Press, was intentionally so conceived as to cover anything from the lowest terms Germany considers he could make without owning herself beaten to utmost limits of extortion. This will scarcely commend itself to neutral influences seeking the basis for satisfactory action in definite and just terms.

"Bethmann-Hollweg's difficulty is indeed hopeless. He knows neutral opinion is generally immovable on one point, viz: the relinquishment of Belgian territory and full compensation to Belgium. He also knows that the ruling classes in Germany, especially the military caste, would now regard abandonment of Belgium as admissoin that Germany's appalling and ruinous losses were endured in vain.

"The plain truth is that Germany cannot propound any peace terms which neutrals could approve. The allies are fighting to secure justice, liberty and exact retribution. Unless Germany will yield these points voluntarily, the peace she gets in the the end will be such as seems just and politic to her conquerors. The making of peace overtures is a hopeless task for a government which proved to the world that its pledged word is a thing of nought."

London, Aug. 10.—Apropos of the reported German peace proposal to Russia the Times published the following Amsterdam dispatch, dated August 7:

"About two months ago the Cologne correspondent of the Tijd made a rather remarkable prophecy. He said he heard from a responsible person that the central powers, after freeing their own territory from the enemy and prosecuting the war on hostile soil, would be in a position to make known their views as to peace. The circumstances would be such as to exclude the idea that they would consent to an unfavorable conclusion, the responsibility for the continuance of the war would rest with the entente power.

"It would appear that the moment for a press campaign on these lines is considered to have arrived. In its morning edition yesterday the Nieuwe Rotteramsche Courant gave prominence to an article which attracted wide attention in Holland. It stated that it had received this article from a diplomatic source through the channel of one of its foreign correspondents. It does not require much acuteness to see that the article is of German origin.

"The article says:

"'It s impossible to reach a conclusion on the battlefield; therefore wiser councils may prevail among the belligerent peoples, if not among their governments.

"'As to the British, it is not impossible that they, whose army and fleet are unbeaten, will ultimately listen to the voice of reason. There is no single reason why their opponent should offer conditions that would exclude a rapprochement and prolong the war unduly.

"'The chance of attaining peace by exhausting the enemy is small, for all the belligerent's general staff every where desire to impose upon the enemy a peace which would make it impossible for him to resume hostilities for generations. There is little chance of realizing this wish.

"'There is far more probability of realizing the desire of the Socialists in all countries to negotiate for peace on the bases that the victors will not annex peoples of a race and language different from their own, though such a basis would, of course need to take account of the results achieved on the battlefield.

"'These two claims may appear irreconcilable but it should be remembered that, apart from conquests in Europe, there are many other means of resorting a balance, and providing compensation.'"

SHIPMENTS OF GOLD

Immense Quantity of Yellow Metal Crosses Ocean on Way to New York.

New York, Aug. 10—An immense shipment of gold, said to be the largest bulk which has been shipped since the beginning of the European war, is on its way to New York from Haifax. It is consigned to New York bankers by the Bank of England, and was shipped across the Atlantic Ocean from London. The amount was estimated tonight at $100,000,000 though one prominent New York banker said that this figure was probably excessive.

The gold left Haifax last night under heavy guard. It is being shipped by the American Express Co., and is due to arrive today. It is understood that it will be credited to the account of J. P. Morgan and Co. fiscal agents for the allies. The gold will probably be deposited in the sub-Treasury here.

Great interest attaches to the fact that the gold was shipped across the Atlantic for this is the first time since the beginning of the war that an attempt has been made to ship gold here from aboard in any considrable quantites.

U. S. TO STAND ALONE

Sweden's Request For Co-Operation of No Avail Because of German Sympathy.

Washington, Aug. 10—In making representations to Great Britain in regard to neutral trade, this country will continue to act alone.

Negotiations begun by Sweden to obtain American co-operation have brought no results. The negotiations are still under way, but have failed to develop a common ground on which action could be based.

Some details of the Swedish position as to trade interference are inconsistent with the American position.

A factor in the situation is the strong German sympathy among some elements in Sweden. This Government has hesitated to become entangled in part because of this feeling.

DOG BRINGS AUTO SUCCOR.

Lansdae, Pa., Aug. 10.—Broken down on a lonely countr yroad about four miles from here, Harry Miller, of this town, wainted in vain for someone to come along with a team that might tow his auto truck back to town. Finally he tied a note to the collar of his little black and tan dog, Tiny-Andora, and sent him home.

Half an nour later the dog arrived at the Miller home, made the presence of the note known, and help was sent at once to the stranded motorist.

The dog is a blue ribbon winner. He is a half brother of the champion Astenmore. Miller said today he wouldn't take $1000 for the dog.

LOS—A lpain Gold Ring. Finder will please return it to Gazette Office. Reward of $5 will be paid. 10-3t.

INDICTMENTS IN HOPEWELL PROBE

Prince George County Grand Jury Begins Investigation

DECLARE TRUE BILLS

Judge West Urges "Clean-Up" of Town—Magistrate is Charged With Accepting Bribes.

Prince George Courthouse, Va., August 10—Beginning the most sweeping investgation ever undertaken in the criminal annals of Virginia, a special grand jury in the Circuit Court of Prince George county yesterday afternoon found four indictments in connection with the bribery and graft revelations at Hopewell, the site of the big Du Pont powder plant. The probe will be resumed on Friday morning. The men against whom "true bills" were found are:

William St. Paul Pullman, a magistrate of Bland District, who until recently presided over the Police Court at Hopewell. He is charged with accepting bribes.

John Porter, former lieutenant of police, deposed last Tuesday, charged with offering bribes to other officers.

H. W. Pollard, former policeman, charged with accepting a bribe to "protect" a poolroom.

Tony Becessi, cabaret proprietor, who acted as interpreter in the Police Court, charged with bribery.

Of the four men against whom presentments were made, Pullman is the only one who has not been arrested. The other three are out on bail. The magistrate formerly lived in South Richmond, and is widely known in Prince George.

The charges against W. D. Henderson, chief of the Hopewell town police until his removal by Judge West last Tuesday, together with his associates were not reached by the grand jury No attempt was made by the body before its adjournment to go into anything but the bribery and graft revelations, and this feature of conditions at Hopewell will be completed on Friday, after which the other form of lawlessness will be taken up.

BULLETS AT CAMP MEETING

Negro Shot in General Fight Near Smyrna, Del.

Smyrna, Del., Aug. 10.—As has been the case yearly for a dozen years, there was a fatal shooting affray at the negro camp meeting at Friendship Sunday night. Howard Hollis, a negro of Clayton, Del., was shot in both legs during a fight. He was removed to the Delaware Hospital, Wilmington, in a critical condition. It is not known who shot Hollis, as bullet were flying thick and fast during the melee. Crap games and other forms of gambling were run openly yesterday and last night just outside the camp grounds.

SHOT BY BOARDER

Snaps Trigger and Woman Dies of Wound Under Heart

Scranton, Pa., Aug. 10—While watching Adolph Springer, a boarder in her home, clean a Flobert rifle in her home Sunday, Mrs. Pauline Klenosk, of Minooka, was accidentally shot in the side and died within an hour.

Springer had been using the gun for target shooting and brought it in to the kitchen where Mrs. Klenosk was engaged in cooking the Sunday dinner, Before breaking the gun to clean it, Springer snapped the trigger. One cartridge had been left in the weapon and the bullet struck the woman just beneath the heart.

DEATH NOTICE.

On Monday, August 9, 1915, at her home, 320 south Lee street, MRS. EMMA D. AITCHEON, wife of Andrew W. Aitcheson. Funeral at 5 p. m. Wednesday from Immanuel Lutheran Church. Relatives and friends of the family are invited.

Open 8:15 a. m. Closed 5:00 p. m.

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8TH ST. AND PENNA. AVE.

Lingerie Waist At $1.00

The models we have shown this season at $1.00 have been so exceptionally good in every way—quality, style, workmanship and fit—that "When in doubt buy one of Kann's dollar waists" has become quite an adage, because women feel sure of full value for the price.

We cannot affort to lose any prestige even though it is just at the shifting of seasons, and are therefore presenting in advance some of the prettiest of the fall models made up of the new materials destined to be the most popular, such as striped and novelty voles, striped neigeux, embroidered panel fronts and many other effects. We consider these new styles some of the prettiest of the many pretty ones we have shown. All sizes to select from.

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Summer Store Hours 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. Except Sat.

Do Not Miss Our

Ten Day

Big Sacrifice Sale

of Summer Merchandise commencing Saturday Morning August 7th. Prices on summer goods will be cut to the quick selling point, as all summer merchandise must be sold quickly.

Do not miss this opportunity.

For Sale or Rent

That large three story press brick dwelling No. 514 Cameron st., with modern improvements, new Ideal hot water heating plant; separate bath and toilet rooms; spacious parlor; delightful bed rooms with large closets; attractive halls and dining room; thoroughly equipped kitchen with gas range, pantry; instantanious heater; large cellar under entire house; everything comparatively new. To anyone desiring to buy an up to date house, we invite inspection of this fine old residence, and have no hesitancy in saying there is not a residence in the city that surpasses this in substantial construction, and believe an inspection by any contractor or builder in the city will bear us out in this statement. For further particulars, call or phone.

MONROE & MARBURY

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Sdecial Sale of Electric Fans

While they last we willsell all electric fans in stock at the following net prices:-

12" Straight blowing $12.50
12" Oscillating $16.59
16" straight blowing $15.50
16" Oscillating $20.00

All fans complete with cords and plugs, ready to attach to any lamp socket.

Better come early. There are not many left.

The Alexandria County Lighting Company

LAST DAY FOR DISCOUNT

City Tax Bills Must be Paid Before Close of Today to Get the Discount.

Tax Collector P. F. Gorman and his assistants have been kept busy today receiving taxes from property owners who were availing themselves of the discount allowed on all bills paid by August 10. Heretofore it has been necessary to pay the same by the 1st of July in order to benefit by the discount but tax payers have had over a month additional time this year because of the delay in council passing the ordinance fixing the tax rate for this year. The delay was caused by the change in the state tax laws.

As has been stated in the Gazette the tax collector is compelled to furnish the city auditor with a complete list of all persons who have paid their taxes, prior to August 10th, and who have secured a discount. He is given five days in order to file this list.

NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS

In the District Court of the United States, for the Eastern District of Virginia. In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of
Michael Koblein, Bankrupt.
No. 141 in bankruptcy.

To the creditors of Michael Koblein of Del Ray, in the County of Alexandria, and District aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 28th day of July, A. D., 1915, the said Michael Koblein was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at 107 North Fairfax Street, in the City of Alexandria, on the 13 day of August, A. D., 1915, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

WALTER U. VARNEY,
Referee in Bankruptcy
Alexandra, Virginia, July 30, 1915.

The Board of Managers of the Alexandria Hospital will not hold their regular monthly meeting on Thursday, August 12th. The next meeting will be the second Thursday in September.

R. N. BALLENGER, President.

Surprise Theater

House Cool and Well Ventilated

TONIGHT

Grace Cunard and Francis Ford.

The Broken Coin

Episode sixth. A startling discovery. Universal special serial. Two parts

The American film co. presents

After The Storm

With Vivian Rich and Harry Von Meter.

Francis J. MacDonald, W. F. Lawrence, Adoni Fovieri, Eleanor Washington and Wilbur Higby in

Fate Takes a Hand

Reliance, two parts. The tragic story of a shot that miscarried.

Falstaff comedy.

Getting the Gardner's Goat

Featuring Riley Chamberlin and Lorraine Huling.

WEDNESDAY

Mutual masterpiece.

The Darkening Trail

Wm. S. Hart, the star, depicts the rugged westener, with wonderful skill. Enid Markley, as the object of Yukon Ed's love, plays her part with winning sweetness and graphic reality. The atmosphere of the Alaskian frontier is wonderfully portrayed in the realism of the scenes. Four acts

THURSDAY

Lubin presents

The College Widow

From the famous play of the same name by George Aden, With Ethel Clayton as the "College Widow" and George Soule Spencer as "Billy Bolton" V-L-S-E Feature. Five parts.

FRIDAY

The Failure

With John Emerson.

An usual picture. The failure will sweep you along from scene to scene so that you will almost live in the thrilling adventures of the reporter, who sets out to do something big and fails.

MEETING OF BAPTISTS

Potomac Association Will Convene Tomorrow Morning in Del Ray Church.

The annual meeting of the Potomac Baptist Association will convene tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock with the Del Ray Baptist Church. This Association was organized in 1856, and has held annual meetings except during the years 1862-1864. The Association embraces the city of Alexandria and counties of Loundoun, Fairfax, Alexandria, Prince William, Fauquier and Stafford. The present officers of the Association are the Rev. W. S. O. Thomas, Falls Church, Moderator, James R. Mansfield, Alexandria, Clerk; W. P. Kerrick Alexandria, Assistant Clerk; G. Haris, Field, The Plains, Treasurer; Dr. E. B. Jackson, Warrenton, Historian.

The Association will be in session Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week. On Wednesday evening a mass meeting will be held at the Del Ray Church at 8 o'clock, and on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock a mass meeting in the interest of missions as well as discussions on methods and efficiency, will be held in the First Baptist Church in this City. There will be prominent speakers and interesting music.

The committee on program have arranged the following as the order of services during the Association:

Wednesday, August 11, Morning session—10:00 to 10:15, Devotional exercises; 10:15 to 10:45, enrollment and election; 10:45 to 11:15; recognition of new pastors, welcome address and response; 11:15, associational sermon by Rev. E. B. Jackson, of Warrenton. Miscellaneous business.

Wednesday, August 11, afternoon session—2:00 to 2:15, Devotional exercises. 2:15 to 3:00, Laymens movement. 3:00 to 3:45, Temperance. 3:45 to 4:30, Minister's relief.

Thelrsday, August 12, Morning session—10:00 to 10:15, Devotional exercises. 10:15 to 11:09, Education. 11:00 to 12:00, Home Missions. Miscellaneous business.

Thursday, August 12, afternoon session—2:00 to 2:15, Devotional exercises. 2:15 to 3:15, Foreign mission. 3:15 to 3:45, State missions. 3:45 to Adj., Orphanage.

Friday ,August 13, Morning session. 10:00 to 10:15, Devotional exercises. 10.15 to 11:00, Sunday school work. 11:00 to 12:00, Woman's missionary union. 12:00 to 12:30, Religious literature. Miscellaneous business.

COUNCIL TONIGHT.

Successor to Late C. B. Marshall Will Probably be Elected.

The City Council will meet tonight and elect a successor to the late Charles B. Marshall, Councilman from the Fourth ward. Clinton S. Ballenger, a resident of the territory recently added to the city and at present a member of the local tax review board, will, it is thought, be elected to the position.

LOCAL BREVITIES

The Lutheran Sunday School excursion has been postponed from tomorow until August 19th.

Funeral services for Mrs. Martha Jefferson Trist Burke will be held from Christ Episcopal Church this evening at six o'clock by the Rev. W. J. Morton, rector, assisted by the Rev. S. A. Wallis, of the Theological Seminary.

Postponement of the election of a trustee to the next meeting was the acion taken by Alexandria Lodge of Elks, which met last night . Plans for the meeting of the State Association of Elks in Alexandria were discussed.

In the Corporation Court today in the suit of Rose Mary Powell and husband against Annie Marion Carr and others, a decree was entered by Judge Barley refering the matter to Harry B. Caton for a report.

Tonight at the Richmond Theater the managerment will present the world's greatest disaster, the sinking of the "Eastland" in Chicago. These pictures are the first and latest out.

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Hard Shell Crabs, Deviled Crabs, and Crab Salad, in our own delicious style. Jacob Brill, foot of King St.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexaxandria—Happenings In Society.

Miss Bertha Fishback, of Marshall, Va., Miss Margaret Rush, of Warrenton, Va., and Miss Myrtle Waddell are visiting Mrs. G. W. Koop.

OWNER AND CAPTAIN FINED.

Steamer Charles H. Werner Alleged to Have Been Overcrowded.

Collector Ryan yesterday imposed a severe fine on Charles H. Werner of Baltimore, owner of the steamer Charles W. Werner, for permitting more than the number of passengers allowed by law on his steamer. The Werner was found by one of the navigation inspectors to have left River View, on the Potomac, last week with an excess of passengers while bound to Washington. A fine of $500 was imposed on the vessel and $100 on Capt. James R. Mills for not keeping an accurate account of those on board.

TO THE PUBLIC

As devisee and legatee of the late Charles B. Marshall, I desire to state to the public, that I have this day sold to M. W. Gaines the entire stock of goods of my late husband, Charles B. Marshall, including all bills receivable, and good will of the shoe business conducted heretofore by said Charles B. Marshall, at 422 King Street, Alexandria, Virginia, and the said M. W. Gaines assumes the payment of all bills and accounts due by said Charles B. Marshall. I bespeak for said M. W. Gaines the patronage of my friends and the public generally.

MARGARET L. MARSHALL
Widow of Charles B. Marshall.
Alexandria, Va., August 10th, 1915

TO THE PUBLIC

Having purchased the entire stock of goods of the late Charles B. Marshall, including all bills receivable, and the good will of the shoe busness heretofore conducted at 422 King Street. Aexandria, Virginia, by the said Charles B. Marshall, and having assumed the payment of all bills and accounts due by the said Charles B. Marshall, this is to inform the public that I will continue the said shoe business at 422 King Street under the name of M. W. Gaines, and I besneak the liberal patronage of the public.

All persons having bills against said Charles B. Marshall are hereby notified to present them to me for payment, and all persons indebted to said Charles B. Marshall will please pay me at once.

M. W. GAINES
Alexandria, Virginia, August 10th, 1915.

Richmond Theater

The House of Star Productions
Six Reels Each Performance

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Charlie Chaplin in

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Metro presents.

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Plaited and full gored skirts, with strikingly effective patch pockets or plain.

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THE CASE OF BELGIUM.

J. Bernstorff, the German Ambassador to the United States, is sending from Cedarhurst, N. Y., a pamphlet of 139 pages entitled "The Belgian People's War a Violation of International Law." Newspapers throughout the country have received copies with the request that the editors give its contents as well as the ambassador's letter the widest publicity.

The editor of the Gazette has not perused the document closely, but it can be stated that the bulk comprises affidavits of German soldiers and others of what the Imperial Government of Germany regards as overt acts on the part of down-trodden Belgians in "violation of international law," together with court proceedings and investigations.

The first paragraph of the document is about all that it is necessary to print. It is as follows. "Immediately after the outbreak of the war in Belgium a savage fight was started by the Belgian civilians against the German troops, a fight which was a flagrant violation of international law and had the gravest consequences for Belgium and her people." The book tells of battles with inhabitants of several cities of the captured country.

The case of Belgium is destined to go down in history with that of bleeding Poland, the slaughter of the innocents and other pathetic chapters. From statements made by the British Foreign Office, it seems that the Teutons had for some time prior to the present war covetous eyes fixed upon Belgium. It was said by a high official that the Netherlands are not equal to the task of governing and developing certain colonies, but are destined to be "drawn within the orbits of greater nations." Significant words.

The violation of Belgian neutrality will ever remain a blot upon Germany. The latter was pledged to respect the neutrality of the little kingdom, but repudiatd the solemn compact by invading it when it was to her interests to do so. The Belgians were naturally indignant and fought in defense of their firesides. But it was a child against a man, and the latter prevailed. But the action of the Belgian civilians was, in German eyes, a sin unto death, and while the smaller nation is wounded and helpless the captor is engaged in futile attempts to make it appear that Belgium has been guilty of a violation of international law because her people fought the invaders in the streets. Should the unlikely occur and the "mailed fist" come down upon our peaceful country if we fight for our homes, we, too, will be guilty of the same crime.

SECRET DESIRE FOR PEACE.

That the rank and file in Europe are tired of war has long been apparent, but the nations involved are naturally loth to make direct proposals, as such movements would mean the exhibition of the white feather. The fearful conflict has progressed a year, and at this time it is impossible to forecast the result. Each nation is confident of ultimate victory. In the meantime the resources of the belligerents are being taxed to the utmost to keep their respective armies and navies upon a war footing, while the armies of all are being weakened by slaughter and diseases. The Baltimore American of today says:

"Interesting whether it is or is not authentic, the story that comes from Petrograd to the effect that the German Emperor last week offered through Sweden, terms of a separate peace for Russia, is indicative of the undercurrent of desire for peace that is running below the surface streams of warfare. For whatever its position and measure of its success, every nation in the war is anxiously looking forward to the time when it can lay aside its arms, and none more so than Germany. From the beginning it has been said in behalf of Germany by the German Ambassador at Washington, that his country desired peace. The same is doubtless true of all the others.

"But if a separate peace has been offered Russia and refused, it is a sign of lack of discouragement on account of the Warsaw catastrophe and indicates a firm Russan belief that the outcome of the war will be favorable to the Allies. The fact that Russia is under engagement to the others in the alliance to remain in the fight until the end, would possibly not be felt binding under circumstances. But that Russia entertains the ideas of separating its interests from those of France and England and Italy, is not to be believed.

"The alleged fact for the Russians is indication of the deep-seated desire of the Teutons to break the lines of the Alliance, whether or not they can break through their battlefronts. German strategy is ceaselessly at work and it is at work to bring the war to a close in the only way that Germany sees for it to close, namely by the breaking up of the alliance of its foes.

"Just what is the military condition of Russia the experts are not agreed. But if this story of a proffer of a separate peace is not wholly unfounded, it would seem to point to a large degree of assurance remaining in the country that has borne the brunt of the battles upon the east side."

GOVERNMENT BY MASS MEETING.

Resolutions were adopted at a mass meeting in Atlanta, Ga., Saturday night asking the recall of Mayor Woodward and six other members of the board of police commissioners who recently voted to remove James L. Beavers as chief. The circulation of petitions to obtain the necessary signaures was begun immediately after the meeting. The object of the movement was defined by speakers as "the redemption of a righteous man crucified." Beavers was charged with inefficiency and insubordination by the board and removed from head of the department.

Believers in law and order throughout the United States have ever regarded the doctrines of initiative, referendum and recall as mischievous, to say the least. If the world is to be dominated by mass meetings, governments, in the end, will be as ropes of sand. It means mob rule, nothing more.

No public official is minus friends, no matter how corrupt or inefficient he may be, and when his superiors find him a misfit and are compelled to demote or remove him, he will always have some apologists. We know nothing concerning the case of the Atlanta police chief, but the language used by his friends in his defense is calculated to bring smiles—"a righteous man crucified." If he was insubordinate, as charged by the Mayor and members of the police board, his removal was justifiable.

NEWS OF THE DAY

George Fitch, the noted humorist, died last night at Berkeley Cal.

George F. Loder, known throughout the country as the father of the Mystic Shrine, died in Rochester, N. Y., Sunday night after a long illness, aged 73 years. He was imperial potentate emeritus of the Shrine.

A hurricane struck Laurel, Del., and adjacent towns last night doing great damage, streets being filled with poles, wires and trees. Orchards and truck fields were devastated. No such storm ever before visited this section.

A wage increase of 100 per cent is promised employes of the Aetna Chemical Company at Gary, Ind. The increase of 100 per cent. however, is contingent upon a continuation of the war in Europe until the first week in June.

Stung by a honey bee Thursday, Nathan Hornich, aged 17 years, of Bowden, near Elkins, W. Va., died Sunday night. The bee stung the young man on the nose. The poison spread through young Hornich's system.

During a heavy storm Sunday night Capt. Ira Ruark, of Lower Hooper's Island, Md., was struck by lightning and killed. A house belonging to Samuel Phillips, on Middle Hoopers Island was struck by lightning and badly torn up..

The British authorities are abou to take further measures to safeguard the supplies of food and grain on hand. A bundesrath decree orders everybody possessing a supply of grain to report to specified authorities between August 16 and 20.

The board of directors of the Seaboard Air Line, at a meeting held in Baltimore yesterday, entirely remodeled the financial structure of the system by executing a mortgage authorizing an issue of $300,000,000 bonds, and by absorbing the Carolina, Atantic and Western Railway.

The government of the Netherlands has been receiving a steady stream of munitions for months past from an American munition factory that is supplying the allies. The reports from London are to the effect that Holland has called every available man to the colors.

It is announced officially in Petrograd that a German fleet, consisting of nine battleships, twelve cruisers, and a large number of torpedo boats, attacked the entrance to the Gulf of Riga on Sunday. The fleet was repulsed. One cruiser and two torpedo boats were damaged.

A Laibach message says 30,000 Italian troops, with powerful artillery, conducted a five-hour attack upon the Gorizia defenses today. Numerous Austrian batteries were silenced by the Italian cannon. After a final bayonet attack, the Austrian troops retired toward the town, leaving 2,000 dead and 800 prisoners.

The navies of the air have again clashed, and a French aeroplane squadron has beaten off a mosquito fleet of German "aviatiks," bombarded the railroad station and factories at Saarbruck, on the border of Rhine province, on German soil, and sailed away through a dense fog, leaving great clouds of smoke and flame rising from the earth below.

The British have recaptured all the trenches they loss to the Germans in the region of Hooge on July 30 and have further extended their front a distance of 1,200 yards, making a net gain for Sir John French's troops of fully a mile in front. Rpulse of a furious German night attack north of the railway station at Souchesz, in which the invaders lost heavily, is reported.

Secretary of State Lansing declares that "a very definite policy" had been agreed upon at the two Pan-American conferences on the Mexican situation. Latin America will co-operate in every peaceful way in aiding in the restoration of law and order in Mexico. If peaceful means fail, Latin-American governments will lend their passive moral support to armed intervention by the forces of the United States.

Strike will be called at noon Thursday at the plant of the Locomobile Company at Bridgeport, Conn., unless the eight hour day and a 23 per cent wage increase is granted. Two plants busily engaged in United States government work—the American and British Manufacturing Company and the Lake Torpedo Boat Company—are threateend. Demands will be made on them tomorrow for wage increases.

Employes of the five Washington breweries, who have been out on strike for four months expect to return to work next week, it was statd following the regular weekly meeting of the Central Labor Union last night. Although no conferences have been held between the brewers and the workmen for neary two months, it was said that both sides are willing to recede from their original positons.

Serbia is expected to be the next object of attack by the Germans and Austrians in full force. All indications from the eastern battle front lead to the conviction that Emperor William is preparing to launch a great drive through the dominions of the Serbs to re-establish communications with Turkey and to open the way for sending reenforcements of troops and new supplies of ammunition to the Sultan.

The London Times, discussing the German chancellor's message to the American press, which coincides with a German inspired article in a Dutch newspaper, suggesting the possibility of an early peace, declares: "The object of the present revival of the peace intrigue is rather more to shift the blame of the prolognation of the war on the allies than to excite any real peace movements among the neutrals but the scheme is too transparent to succeed."

Three billion bushels of corn, 1,500,000 000 bushels of oats and 1,000 000,000 bushels of wheat are in prospect for this year's American harvest. Record crops of rye, white and sweet potatoes tobacco, rice and hay also are predicted for the prosperous farmers, who have planted 310,546 000 acres, or 10,000,000 acres more than last year, to their principal products. The wheat crop, the greatest ever grown in any country, will be worth more than $1,000,000,000, while the corn crop's value may reach $2,500,000,000.

If the views held in higher military quarters in Petrograd are well founded, any danger which may have existed for the Russian Vistula army is now past. The troops are now taking up the new positions allotted them without precipitation, and at the moment their rear is not threatened. Moreover, there are signs that the impetus of the Austro-German attacks is waning, and these signs multiply each day. There is private news from Vilna of fearful havoc wrought on the Germans near Kovno. The Russian position in the Baltic province is now described as firm.

VIRGINIA NEWS

While bathing with several companions just off Huckleberry Point above Chesterfield Heights, Norfolk, Sunday, Walter B. Capps, 17 years old, was drowned.

His boat accidentally cut in two by a motor boat while he was fishing yesterday near the wharf of the Merritt & Chapman Wrecking Company, Norfolk, George W. Haywood was thrown into the water and drowned.

W. G. Walker, chief of police of Danville, Ill., has arrived at Petersburg, with Alva Horr, alias Tennis Horr, en route to Danville. Horr was arrested at Hopewell, near Petersburg, charged with murdering his wife in Danville last September.

A recent operation performed at St. Vincent's Hospital, Norfolk, involving the removal of a gall stone weighing a pound and a half from the kidney of W. E. Britt, of Roanoe Rapids, N. C., is something new. The patient improved rapidly and has left for his home.

Walter Tansill Oliver did not go to Fredericksburg yesterday in time to preside at the ipagural session of the committee of the House of Delegates investigating the charges of corruption in office made against Judge R. H. L. Chichester, of the Fifteenth Judicial Circuit.

Mrs. J. H. Suthpin was killed in Carroll county Sunday by the overturning of an automoible. With her husband, twin sons and a niece, Mrs. Suthpin was returning from church. The steering gear locked and the machine went over an embankment to the Norfolk and Western railroad tracks. The other members of the party were unhurt.

Holding that the finding of the police investigating committee that Police Commissioner Cliff Weil had been guilty of indiscret conduct does not warant the Richmond Council in asking for his resignation, the Board of Aldermen last night adopted an amended resolution censuring and reprimanding him for his indiscret conduct. The resolution was passed by a vote of 8 to 4.

After a lapse of twenty years, the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, of Massachusetts, with headquarters in Boston, the oldest military organization on the Western Hemisphere and the organization having the unique distinction of bearing the Stars and Stripes into Buckingham Palace, London, when its officers made their bow before the Court of St. James, will again visit Richmond to celebrate its annual fall field day, October 3.

Prognosticators in Richmond are proclaiming J. Taylor Ellyson as the next governor of Virginia. While Richard Evelyn Byrd is expected to enter the race and the indications now are that the race will be a four-sided affair with Ellyson, John Garland Pollard and Westmoreland Davis. There seems absolutely no possibility of Congressman Carter Glass getting in the gubernatorial fight and the indications now are that the real fight will be between Lieutenant Governor Ellyson and Attorney General Pollard.

Judge Wells, in Hustings Court, Part 2, Richmond, yesterday upheld the demurrer of the city of Richmond against the injunction granted jitney operators, and dismissed the temporary injunction recently granted which gave the "free lancers" a few days' lease of life. Judge Wells, however, allowed the injunction to remain operative until mdinight tomorrow night, at the request of the counsel for the jitney owners, that counsel might prepare appeal papers to be presented to Judge Keith, of the Supreme Court.

When in town visit the Hotel Rammel

CLASSIFIED ADS

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FOR RENT—Seven room house, gas and bath, 321 so uth Columbus street, $15 per month. Apply to 408 Prince street. 5-3t.

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Collecor's Office, July 26, 1915.

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Tax payers are requested to call and pay at once in order to avoid the rush and crowd usually present on the last days in which the discount is allowed. Bring a list to make sure you get bills for all your property as the collector will not be responsible or allow the discount after the time fixed by law.

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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA
OFFICE OF
CLERK OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES

Proposed amendments to the Constitution of Virginia, agreed to at session of General Assembly 1914, and published in pursuance of section 196 of the Constitution and act approved February 3, 1908.

JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to section 46, Article IV, of the Constitution.

Resolved by the House of Delegates, the Senate concurring (a majority of the members elected to each house agreeing thereto), That the following amendment to the Constitution of Virginia, be and the same is hereby, proposed and referred to the General Assembly to be chosen at the next general election of members of the House of Delegates for its concurrence, in conformity with the provisions of section one hundred and ninety-six of article fifteen of said Constitution, namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia, section forty-six of article four, which is in the following words:

Sec. 46. The General Assembly shall meet once in two years, on the second Wednesday in January, next succeeding the election of the members of the House of Delegates and not oftener, unless convened in the manner prescribed by this Constitution. No session of the General Assembly, after the first under this Constitution, shall continue longer than sixty days; nut with the concurrence of three-fifths of the members elected to each house, the session may be extended for a period not exceeding thirty days. Except for the first session held under this Constitution, members shall be allowed a salary for not exceeding sixty days at any regular session, and for not exceeding thirty days at any extra session. Neither house shall, without the consent of the other, adjourn to another place nor for more than three days. A majority of the members elected to each house shall constitute a quorum to do business, but a smaller number may adjourn from day to day, and shall have power to compel the attendance of members in such manner and under such penalty as each house may prescribe.

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. 46. The General Assembly shall meet once in two years, on the second Wednesday in January, next succeeding the election of the members of the House of Delegates, and not oftener, unless convened in the manner prescribed by this Constitution. No session of the General Assembly shall continue longer than ninety days, except that with the concurrence of three-fifths of the members elected to each house, the session may be extended for a period not exceeding thirty days. Neither house shall, without the consent of the other, adjourn to another place, not for more than three days. A majority of the members elected to each house shall constitute a quorum to do business, but a smaller number may adjourn from day to day, and shall have power to compel the attendance of members in such manner and under such penalty as each house may prescribe.

JOINT RESOLUTION proposing amendment to section 50 of Article IV of the Constitution of Virginia, and providing for publishing said amendment, and certifying the same to the next General Assembly.

1. Resolved by the House of Delegates, the Senate concurring (a majority of the members elected to each house agreeing thereto), That the following amendment to the Constitution of Virginia, be and the same is hereby, proposed and referred to the General Assembly to be chosen at the next general election of members of the House of Delegates for its concurrence, in conformity with the provisions of section fifty of article four of said Constitution, namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia, section fifty, article four, which is in the following words:

Sec. 50. No law shall be enacted except by bill. A bill may originate in either house, to be approved or rejected by the other, or may be amended by either, with the concurrence of the other.

No bill shall become a law unless prior to its passage it has been—

(a) Referred to a committee of each house, considered by such committee in session, and reported;

(b) Printed by the house in which it originated, prior to its passage therein;

(c) Read at length on three different calendar days in each house; and unless,

(d) A yea and nay vote has been taken in each house upon its final passage, the names of the members voting for and against entered on the journal, and a majority of those voting, which shall include at least two-fifths of the members elected to each house, recorded in the affirmative.

And only in the manner required in sub-division (d) of this section shall an amendment to a bill by one house be concurred in by the other, or a conference report be adopted by either house, or either house discharge a committee from the consideration of a bill and consider the same as if reported; provided, that the printing and reading, or either, required in sub-division (b and c) of this section, may be dispensed with in a bill to codify the laws of the State, and in any case of emergency by a vote of four-fifths of the members voting in each house taken by the yeas and nays, the names of the members voting for and against, entered on the journal; provided further, that no bill which creates or established a new office, or which creates, continues or revives a debt or charge or makes, continues or revives any appropriation of public or trust money or property, or releases, or discharges, or commutes any claim or demand of the State, or which imposes, continues or revives a tax, shall be passed except by the affirmative vote of the majority of all the members elected to each house, the vote to be by the yeas and nays, and the names of the members voting for and against, entered on the journal. Every law imposing, continuing or reviving a tax shall specifically state such tax, and no law shall be construed as so stating such tax, which requires a reference to any other law or any other tax. The presiding officer of each house shall, in the presence of the house over which he presides, sign every bill which has been passed by both houses and duly enrolled. Immediately before this is done, all other business being suspended, the title of the bill shall be publicly read. The fact of the signing shall be entered on the journal.

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. 50. No law shall be enacted except by bill. A bill may originate in either house to be approved or rejected by the other, or may be amended by either, with the concurrence of the other.

No bill shall become a law unless prior to its passage it has been:

(a) Referred to a committee of each house, considered by such committee in session, and reported;

(b) Printed by the house in which it originated prior to its passage therein;

(c) Read by title on three different calendar days in each house and read at length at least once in each house; and unless,

(d) A yea and nay vote has been taken in each house upon its final passage, the names of the members voting for and against entered on the journal, and a majority of those voting, which shall include at least two-fifths of the members elected to each house, recorded in the affirmative.

And only in the manner required in sub-division "d" of this section shall an amendment to a bill by one house be concurred in by the other, or a conference report be adopted by either house, or either house discharge a committee from the consideration of a bill and consider the same as if reported; provided, that the printing and reading, or either, required in sub-divisions "d" and "c" of this section, may be dispensed with in a bill to codify the laws of the State, and in any case of emergency, by vote of four-fifths of the members voting in each house, taken by the yeas and nays, the names of the members voting for and against entered on the journal; and provided further, that no bill which creates or establishes a new office, or which creates, continues, or revives a debt or charge, or makes, continues, or revives any appropriation of public or trust money or property, or releases, discharges, or commutes any claim or demand of the State, or which imposes, continues, or revives a tax, shall be passed, except by the affirmative vote of the majority of all the members elected to each house, the vote to be by the yeas and nays, and the names of the members voting for and against entered on the journal. Every law imposing, continuing, or reviving a tax shall specifically state such tax, and no law shall be construed as so stating such tax which requires a reference to any other law or any other tax. The presiding officer of each house shall, in the presence of the house over which he presides, sign every bill which has been passed by both houses and duly enrolled. Immediately before this is done, all other business being suspended, the title of the bill shall be publicly read. The fact of the signing shall be entered on the journal.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of amendments proposed to the Constitution and agreed to by the General Assembly of Virginia, session 1914, and the same is published in pursuance of section 196 of the Constitution and act of the General Assembly, approved February 3, 1908.

JOHN W. WILLIAMS,
Clerk House of Delegates of Virginia.

PASTOR BLASTS TOWN

Of its 2,700 Souls, Two to One Are in Its Insane Asylum, and it's a Slow Place

Cedar Grove, N. J., Aug. 10—Rev. George D. McCulloch, who came here as a lamb two years ago, is going out as a roaring lion and hopes to make this village all the better for it. He preached his farewell sermon Sunday and Cedar Grove has certainly sat up. After two years' effort to build up the town he leaves disgusted and disappointed, he says. The whole place is a mere centre of gossip, he declares.

"You are a lot of village gossips," he declared Sunday morning, looking his congregation square in the eye, "Some of you are talking about enlarging this church. What do you want it any larger for? There are 55 people in this congregation this morning. Only 41 of them are members of this church. Where are the others?"

"Why should you build a larger church and ask your minister to preach to more empty pews than I am preaching to now?

"I came to this village with high hopes of being able to accomplish something in the work of the Christian ministry. I was ready to sacrifice myself. I was ready to give my life to this work. Did I find any response? I did not. I found a hopelessly sunken community, a village of gossips, a town where the chief delight is to destroy the work of the hands of some one else. You are a lot of gossips."

ITALY TO AID ALLIES.

Will Send 150,000 Men to Dardanelles And 50,000 to France, Says Army Officer.

New York, Aug. 10.—That Italy, although she has not officially declared war on Germany, is nevertheless about to send 150,000 men to aid the Allies in the operations against the Dardanelles was the information that was brought to New York by Capt. Victor del Sanctis, an officer in the Italian Army, who arrived here on the Italian Royal Mail steamship Duca d'Aosta.

Captain del Sanctis says that these men have been in training at Taranto for some time and will shortly be transported to the Dardanelles. He says 140 transport steamers are now awaiting the time when the troops will have been sufficiently trained. This time, he thinks, will be very soon.

At Turin, Captain del Sanctis says, the Italian Government has 500,000 troops in training for the war. These troops, he says, will be rushed to the aid of the Allies in France just as soon as the men are broken for campaigning.

Captain del Sanctis was sent to this country to purchase muntions and war supplies for the Italian army. He expresses himself as confident that the Allies will ultimately be victorious. He thinks that the addition of 500,000 Italian troops will aid the Allies in bringing the war to a quick conclusion in France.

In the Circuit Court of Alexandria City, Virginia.

Helen G. Tarbell, Complainant.
vs. In Chancery
Fred F. Tarbell, Defendant.

Order for an order of publication.

Upon the application of the complainant, stating specifically the last known place of abode of the respondent the court doth grant the following order of publication this 10th day of July, 1915.

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant a divorce a mensa et thoro from the defendant because of wilful desertion and abandonment on the part of the defendant to enlarge the same into a divorce a vinculo matrimonii when the statutory period has elapsed, and for general relief.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Fred. F. Tarbell, has not been found within the jurisdiction of the State of Virginia, and that he is not a resident of the State of Virginia it is ordered that he appear in the Clerk's Office of our said court within fifteen days after the due publication of this order of publication and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order of publication be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the said City of Alexandria, Virginia, and that a copy of this order be posted at the front door of the Court House of the said City on or before the 19th day of July. 1914, that being the next succeeding rule day of this Court after this order is entered, and that a copy of this order of publication shall be sent by mail by the clerk of this court addressed to said non-resident defendant, Fred F. Tarbell, at Tampa, Florida, his last known place of abode.

A Copy Teste—
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
By Reginald F. Cox, D. C.
Frank L. Ball, P. Q.

Oysters and clams at the Hotel Rammel.

CHARGED WITH NONSUPPORT.

Minister Says His Salary is Only $40 a Year.

York, Pa., Aug. 10.—Mrs. Tobias Finifrock, wife of the Rev. Tobias Finifrock, pastor of St. John's United Brethren Church, in York county, has preferred charges against her husband for non-support.

She alleges that the minister's salary is $50 a month and he gets $15 pension money. The minister denies that his salary exceeds $40 a year, and says he is compelled to do odd jobs on the side.

Mrs. Finifrock has been twice married and had 13 children by her former husband, five of whom are at home. The preacher alleges that when he married, his wife declared that her husband was dead but that he has since learned that he was married to a grass widow.

Judge Landis ordered the preacher to pay her $1 a week.

CATHOLICS TO MEET

Annual Convention of Federation in Toledo, August 15 to 18

Toledo, August, 10—Plans have been announced for the annual convention of the American Federation of Catholic Societies, the largest Catholic organiatzion in the United States, to be held here August 15 to 18.

The papal delegate, Most Rev. John Bonzano, will open the convention with pontifical mass.

The busness sessions will be held in Memorial Hall beginning Monday, August 16, and will be presided over by John Whalen, of New York. Immediately after the federation convention there will be a meeting of the Catholic Press Association of the United States, presided over by John Paul Chew, of St. Louis.

TOWNS DARK AS GIRL DIES

Accidental electrocution Puts Out Lights in Seaford and Bridgeville

Seaford, Del., Aug. 10.—Edna Ricketts, an eight-year old colored girl, was killed Saturday night and Seaford and Bridgeville thrown into darkness just as the stores and streets were thronged with Saturday night shoppers, when the girl leaned against a wire fence, surrounding Macedonia Church charged with electricity.

Several negro boys, noticing an electric wire inside the church yard sparking, thought they would have some fun, and while the current was off, tied the wire around the fence. The wire proved to be the dead man's wire, and when the full current was on it charged the whole fence. When the girl leaned against it she was killed instantly.

Both towns were in darkness several hours before the wire could be fixed.

CRUSHED UNDER TRUCK

Myerstown, Pa., Aug. 10—Falling over the side of an automobile truck laden with 50 persons on their way to a family reunion at Schwenkville Naomi, six year old daughter of Raymond Eisenhouer of Sandy Hill, was instantly killed Sunday, her head being crushed under the wheels.

The little girl was trying to make her way to the fore part of the truck to her father, when she lost her balance.

While the Eisenhausers returned here with the body, the remainder of the party continued on its journey.

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7:37 A. M., Daily—Local between Washington & Lynchburg, delivers connection daily except Sunday at Orange to C. & O., No. 403 for Gordonsville & Richmond.

8:47 A. M.—DailyLocal for Harrisonburg and way stations. Buffet parlor car.

9:17 A. M. Daily—Mail train, coaches for Manassas, Warrenton, Lynchburg, Greensboro and Charlotte.

10:22 A. M. Daily—U. S. Fast Mail stops only for passengers to points at which scheduled to stop: Coaches and Sleeping cars to Atlanta, New Orleans, Birmingham. Sleeping car Salisbury to Asheville, coaches for Manassas, Warrenton, Charlottesville, Lynchburg, Danville, Greensboro and Charlotte.

3:25 P. M. Daily—Local for Charlottesville connecting at Calverton for Warrenton.

4:52 P. M. Daily— Birmingham Special Sleeping cars between New York, Asheville, Atlanta, Anpiston, Birmingham, and Augusta.. Through first class coaches between Washington, Atlanta and Birmingham. Dining car service Tourist to California daily.

4:02 P. M.—Local for Harrisonburg and way Stations on Manassas branch. Pullman Buffet parlor cars.

5:22 P. M.—Local for Warrenton.

10:02 P M.—Daily Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg) First class coaches and sleeping cars to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga, Sleeper to New Orleans, Washington to Roanoke, Dining car service.

11:02 P. M. Daily—New York and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train. Club and Observation cars to New Orleans. Dining Car Service.

4:27 A. M. Daily—Memphis special. Sleeping car and coaches for Roanoke, Knoxville, Nashville, Chattanooga, and Memphis. Dining Car service. Washington sleeping cars open 10 p. m.

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P. M.—12 20, 12 40, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40; 4 00; 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00; 6 40; 7 00, 7 20, 7 35, 8 00; 8 30; 9 00; 9 30; 10 00, 10 30, 11 10, 11 55.

Sundays and Holidays, same as above except trains at 5 00, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 10; 7 30; 7 50 and 8 10 A. M. and 11 55 P. M.

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A. M.—Week Days—5 35, 6 55, 7 55, 8 55, 10 30, 11 30.—P. M.—12 30, 1 30, 2 30; 3 30; 4 30; 5 35; 6 40 7 35, 8 52, 10 20; 11 50.

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For Washington and points north daily at 6:53, 8:08, 8:33 12:01, 12:16 12:23, 2:30 (through train for New York, via P. R. R.) 6:27, 8:53, 11:33 p. m..

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IN THE CORUORATION COURT OF THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA

Frances E. Baden
vs. In Chancery
Marion Baden.

Upon application of the complainant stating specifically the last known place of abode of the defendant, and that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Virginia, the court doth grant the following order of publication.

The object of this suit is to obtain a decree for an absolute divorce for the complainant, Frances E. Baden, from the defendant, Marion Baden, no the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment without cause or excuse, for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit; an affidavit having been filed that the defendant, Marion Baden, is not a resident of the State of Virginia; it is

Ordered, that he do appear in the Clerk's Office of the said court within fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit; that a copy of this order of publication be inserted once a week for four successive weeks, in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria Virginia; that a copy be posted at the front door of the court house of the said city, on or before the next succeeding rule day after this order is entered, and that a copy of this order of publication shall be mailed by registered mail by the lerk of this court, addressed to the said non-resident defendant, at No. 463 Eye Street, Northwest, Washington, D. C. the last known place of abode of the said defendant, which is stated specfically in the application for said order of publication.

Samuel G. Brent, P. Q.
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SAMUEL H. LUNT, Trustee.

Office City School Board

Alexandria, Va., August 7, 1915.

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